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Hi Laura and Jason,

Thanks for the replies. I'll coordinate with Michael Nepsted accordingly for this upcoming meeting. I'll make sure Melissa and Laura get the emails (along with Carolyn & Tom) with the idea that I will participate and follow up with Melissa (unless Melissa v much wants to participate). We don't have an agenda or date yet but I believe this meeting will focus on the requirements of 404 regarding the purpose statement and what will be used in the EIS/EIR. I think Tom and I can probably handle it so if you're swamped with other things Laura, I don't think it is necessary for you to participate in this one.

Thanks!

Erin

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Hi Erin,

Yes I am the 309 NEPA lead for BDCP. EPA is a cooperating agency.

Please keep me in the information loop. Is there a specific date, time, agenda for the meeting?

I plan to participated where desired by you, Jason, Melissa, Karen Schwinn, Carolyn Yale, Tom Hagler. Or as necessary to clarify our 309 NEPA role and raise other EPA program issues (e.g., air quality, tribes, EJ, etc.). Level of participation depending, of course, on my workload constraints.

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Erin Foresman---02/17/2010 08:26:14 AM---Hi Jason, Melissa, and Laura,

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Subject: BDCP -- Coordination on Purpose/Need

Hi Jason, Melissa, and Laura,

Karen has asked me to sit in on a BDCP meeting where we'll be discussing P & N. The last version I saw of it, Michael Nepsted was proposing an appropriate 404 purpose statement (short with few modifiers). However, MN said he is receiving requests from DWR via BOR to make the purpose statement more specific to the alternative they'd ultimately like to gain CWA and ESA permits to build.

Melissa and Jason, should I have MN include Melissa on the meeting-schedule correspondence with the thought that Melissa could participate by phone or come in person? I can also field the purpose meetings and coordinate with Melissa afterward in the interest of optimizing staff resources. I know everyone is very busy and one could spend their entire federal career attending BDCP meetings! Similar to the NEPA/404 process, it will probably take some time to agree on a purpose statement. Let me know what works best for you.

Laura, are you covering BDCP? Will you be participating as well?

Let me know your preferences and I'll email MN with a request to include folks on the meeting coordination.

Hope you are all well!

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I'd like you to attend this mtg that Mike Nepstad will organize. Tom should attend as well. Maybe Melissa can tie in by phone, or you can fill her in.

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Thanks, Tom. Yes, the fed family needs to nail down the purpose statement for NEPA purposes... Or at least identify where we are not in sync and work to resolve.

You weren't on the call this morning but we decided to have Mike N, my deputy, take the lead on organizing a focused meeting on purpose. This should really be the responsibility of the lead agency(s) but we're stepping up since we have a (404) dog in the show. Our idea is to have 1-3 reps (one of which is counsel) from each agency attend and literally work the language of the purpose statement.

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Mike -

I think it would be useful for you and Karen, probably with staff, to discuss this and come up with a common position on both P+N and alternatives. It will get thorny very quickly.

I did sit in on the collective meeting with DWR and Marc Ebbin on the P+N, and have raised a number of my own questions. I can fill you in on all of that.

But I am actually not a 404 guy, but we're bringing in Erin, who has done it for a while, and Karen may augment that. But that's up to her to discuss with you.